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## LCGA addresses budget issues

By ERIC SCHWARZ  
Targum Correspondent

As another wave of state budget cuts hits Rutgers, the Livingston College Governing Association has launched plans to garner support for the University and its students.

During its meeting Monday night, the group announced a meeting next week with members of the Livingston College Parents Association, where students will urge parents to ask legislators to push for more Rutgers funding.

"(Our) parents pay most of our tuition and are taxpayers in the state," said LCGA President Yash Dalal, a junior.

The LCGA is planning other efforts to attract funding, including encouraging fellow students to join in the efforts.

"We have to go after the Rutgers University mainstream," Dalal said. "We have to do something."

He also reported on a recent meeting between student leaders and University President Francis L. Lawrence to discuss an attempt to

solicit more funding.

In a document to state legislators and the University community — titled "The Joint Future of New Jersey and Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey" — Lawrence emphasized the University's benefits to the state.

Lawrence "wanted to let an upbeat report show the positive aspects of Rutgers," Dalal said. "When he goes to meet the Legislature, he presents positive stuff. He then goes in and asks about the (budget) problem."

In other business, the LCGA discussed a new academic calendar to be considered by the University Senate at its meeting Friday. The proposed calendar would allow a one-day reading period between the last day of classes and the first day of exams beginning next semester.

Fall semester exams would begin on a Friday, two days after classes end. Next spring, exams would begin on a Wednesday, also two days after classes end.

However, about 80 percent of

students will not have exams scheduled for the first day of the exam period, thus giving them a longer reading period, according to University Sen. Stephanie Heitmann, a senior.

Student senators have expressed support for the proposal, Heitmann said, adding that faculty members are concerned about a concentrated exam schedule.

Although last semester the senate passed — and later rescinded — a calendar allowing for a reading period, Heitmann said the new calendar has been planned more carefully.

"Last semester, it was really rushed through the senate," she said. "I don't think they would pull this back from us this time."

The LCGA also debated whether to provide additional funding to the Livingston Medium, but made no decision. The Medium's ability to publish a 12- or 16-page paper each week may be jeopardized if it does not receive additional funding, according to LCGA Vice President Carolyn Wheeler, a senior.

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## BOG set to approve Kilmer name change

By EVAN ALTER

Associate News Editor

The University Board of Governors is expected to rename Kilmer campus to Livingston campus today, ending a yearlong campaign by Livingston College students to help strengthen their school's identity.

The change was approved last week by the BOG Buildings and Grounds Committee. BOG members said yesterday they do not expect opposition when the resolution comes to the full board for final approval at this morning's regular meeting.

"I've heard of no opposition and I think it has a very good chance," said BOG Chairperson Adrienne Anderson.

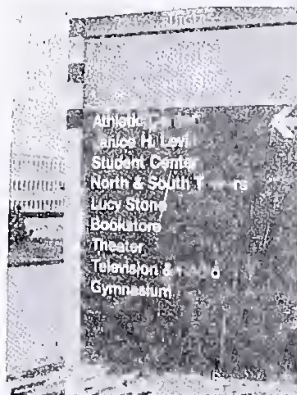
"I think it's a great idea," she said. "I like the way it was brought up by student initiative. They went through all the channels."

Anthony Cicatiello, a member of the Building and Grounds Committee, said the chances are "very good" the proposal will be accepted.

"From my perspective, everything has been positive," he said. "I think (the board) will go along with it."

Cicatiello said the name change "makes sense" and "seems logical."

University President Francis L. Lawrence said he was pleased with the way the process has been handled and praised Livingston College Governing Association President Yash Dalal, who initiated



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**WHAT'S IN A NAME?:** Signs such as this may be soon outdated if the University Board of Governors approves the name change for the Kilmer campus.

the name change, for his work.

"It may not be unanimous and across-the-board, but the broad process of consultation that I talk about all the time has worked," Lawrence said.

University Secretary Norman McNatt

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said there is a "very strong case" for renaming the campus. "Yash Dalal did a terrific job."

About a year ago, Dalal and other LCGA members began a campaign to rename the campus for Livingston College, which was founded in 1969. "Kilmer campus" is derived from Camp Kilmer, the U.S. Army base that once stood in and around Livingston College.

"I'm very happy it's going to happen," said Dalal, a junior. "Many people put a lot of hard work into it. It will help Livingston a lot."

Livingston College Associate

Dean Laura Bromley said she is pleased with the decision.

"It will enhance the sense of identity of faculty, students and staff with the college," Bromley said. "I am very pleased that the faculty fought for it when it faced some opposition."

"I am also proud that students fought for it," Bromley said. "It started in the LCGA and (today) it's going before the Board of Governors."

The proposal was tabled the first time it went before the New Brunswick Faculty Council in October, but passed with overwhelming support in December.

Dalal said he was worried

when the proposal was tabled by the Faculty Council, but said he found that the additional time spent debating "worked in our favor."

"It gave people time to mull over the reasons not to change it, and there weren't any," Dalal said.

Dalal said he never heard coherent opposition to the name change. Although it was opposed by administration and faculty of the School of Business-New Brunswick, it received overwhelming support from its students. The School of Business, headquartered in the Janice H. Levin Building, shares the cam-

pus with Livingston College.

"I don't understand why the (School of Business) administration won't follow the students' view," Dalal said. "If they have any objection, they haven't made it clear. I don't understand why they're against it."

One of those in opposition is School of Business Associate Dean Lucille Heller. She opposes naming the campus after Livingston College because, she said, it ignores her school.

"Busch isn't called the engineering campus," Heller said. "(The School of Business) is an important part of this campus."



Spelunking! That's Colonel Blake. (Go Go Gadget candle)

## Greek Houses

University's money could be better spent on education.

In other business, the LCGA unanimously voted in favor of co-sponsoring the New Jersey Alternative Career Fair. The fair, which will be held March 12-15 in the Multi-Purpose Room of the Rutgers Student Center, will give students the opportunity to talk to members of non-profit organizations such as Amnesty International and Habitat For Humanity about getting full-time jobs and internships.

The Association also allocated \$4,800 to Spring Weekend '91 and \$2,000 to promote Yo MTV Raps at Livingston in conjunction with LOCO.

Michael Parascando was appointed Parliamentarian, replacing Greg Panera.

## Used Account of of March 8

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Hugs and Kisses, Ogre

## Staying Clean At Rutgers

by Eric Schwarz

"I had a stereotype of a drug addict — and I wasn't it."

This is how "Sarah," a 1990 graduate of Rutgers College, viewed herself a few years ago. Today, Sarah is a recovering alcoholic and drug addict. Last Tuesday, she shared her experiences with a small group of students at the Quad Three Main Lounge.

Two current Rutgers students also shared their stories, as part of Livingston's commemoration of National Collegiate Drug Awareness Week. Judging from the questions asked of the participants, the audience seemed to find the talk both enlightening and interesting.

"Rather than go through life, I would rather get high," Sarah said. "I'll always be an alcoholic. I'll always be a drug addict. All my life is going to be pain."

Many of Sarah's problems with drugs can be traced to her family, she said. "I believe that for me, my alcohol and drug addiction go back a long, long time."

Sarah grew up in an Islamic family, where alcohol was taboo. In addition, her parents were abusive toward her.

"When I was 18 years old, I left my family's home. I was a very rebellious child. I think that saved my life."

"The real reason I was leaving was that I had had enough. For the first six weeks after I had left home, whatever I did, I did openly. I left home and moved into an apartment in New Brunswick. I got involved in a relationship with a man that was really crazy."

Liberated from her parents, Sarah began to experiment with alcohol and drugs. She broke off all relationship with her parents a year and a half ago.

"My whole personality was geared and ready, so when I took that first drink, I knew it would happen."

"At a party, I went over to where all the liquor was. There was a bottle of clear stuff and a bottle of brown stuff. All I knew was that the stuff, disgusting as it was, made me less inhibited. I started experimenting with drugs

— marijuana, cocaine, LSD — Absolutely everything I could get my hands on, I did."

"My favorite drug was marijuana. I had a lot of reasons why marijuana was better than alcohol. It didn't matter if it brought me up or down."

"I lost a lot of jobs. I didn't care about myself or taking care of myself. I tried to kill myself a couple times. Nobody ever asked me if I used drugs or alcohol. I found that a lot in the mental health field. By now, I was using from the time I got up to the time I went to bed."

"I went to a self-help group and stayed clean and sober for 37 days. I smoked one hit, and that was a relapse for me. The next day, I went back and started again. I went back to Rutgers and finished up."

Sarah today is a fifth-grade teacher living in Highland Park.

"I found a lot of people here who do a lot of fun things. Today, I really care a lot about myself. I like who I am."

She favors the legalization of drugs. There are social drinkers and social drug users, she just was not one of them, she said.

As a 15-year-old, "Jass" thought it was cool that she could drink more than the rest of her friends. But that tolerance was a warning sign to her alcoholism.

"I had high tolerance from the moment I took alcohol. I thought that was something good — I could out-drink everybody," she said. "I was getting so bad at 15, my friends who were using drugs wouldn't want to deal with me."

Because of her addictions, Jass didn't attend college right away. But it appeared that she had a "full" life — she worked hard and married.

"I knew I couldn't go to college, so I went to work," she said.

"Our marriage, our jobs, everything was secondary. Our priorities were all messed up. Inside the house was a hell hole." Soon after the couple were divorced, Jass's husband died.

"I looked in that casket that day, and looked and said, 'My God, that could have been me.' I was 'playing on the railroad tracks.'"

She later returned to college, and is now a Livingston College senior.

"I, too, will always be recovering. This disease takes lives — that's why I'm here tonight. I'll share my experience wherever I go," Jass said.

Luke, a Rutgers College senior, "started using marijuana first, when I was nine years old."

"To me, alcohol and drugs were a part of my recreation," he said.

Luke started dealing marijuana in high school. He, too, denied the influence of alcohol and drugs on his life.

"When I look back, I see how much my life centered around using alcohol and drugs," Luke said. "No matter what I did, alcohol was a part of it."

Luke and his friends "used to drink and acknowledge that we were 'alcoholics,' but we didn't know what that meant."

"I never really viewed myself as a bad person. I never really did get in trouble," he said. "I did a lot of things that I was really proud of myself for. I used all these things to allow myself to deny what was happening."

When Luke came into trouble at Rutgers, he tried to quit on his own, "and that lasted about two weeks," he said.

He was referred to the New Jersey Collegiate Substance Abuse Program, an inpatient unit for all state students at Harnad Health Center. Luke has been living sober for about a year now. "I didn't realize getting sober was complete abstinence," he said.

While Luke is optimistic about his own future, he told the audience that "alcohol and drugs kills more people in this country than any other disease."

"I live in downtown New Brunswick," he said. "Within five minutes, I can get any drug I want."

Rutgers offers several programs and support groups to students coping with addiction... their own or someone else's. For more information, call Lisa Laitman at 932-7976; she is the coordinator for alcohol and other drug assistance programs for students at Rutgers.

defeated without a shot, backed down like puppies from the whip.

Mumblin' and gruntin' as they passed by me, heads down in the shame of cowardice, they knew they couldn't face the master of the sword, gun, word and

## Fuck Out e, Man!

--Beef

## Sunday Night Showdown At The Medium: How Wyatt Rifster kicked Clanton ASS with a leer.

The air at the OK was stale, like Brower bread. Maybe the moon was full, but the miasma that is Central Jersey let only a few

"Hound dog" McClanton; and their squeezes. No guns, just lips. The stale air crackled into a lightning storm when Old Man

# LC senior had to 'cheat through life' as drug addict

By ERIC SCHWARZ  
Assistant News Editor

"It was like I was sleeping for 30 years and then I woke up. It's sort of like being dead while you're still living."

These were the words of Livingston College senior Jass Pelland, describing her abuse of drugs and alcohol before she became clean several years ago.

Pelland, 35, will graduate from the University this year with undergraduate degrees in both social work and psychology. She then plans to attend the Graduate School of Social Work at Rutgers to pursue a masters of social work degree.

Like many students at Rutgers, Pelland is a recovering alcoholic and drug addict. And although she does well in school now, her addiction almost kept her from completing high school and from attending college.

"I had to cheat to graduate," she said. "I had to cheat through life. That's where addiction takes you. I went from almost not graduating high school to graduating with highest honors at a community college."

"I would have never gone back to school if I hadn't been clean and sober," she said. "My addiction was pre-college."

"Rutgers was the school I wanted. I wanted to come here because of the Center for Alcohol Studies and the good social work program."

During the time before she began college, Pelland kept herself busy working and pre-



"All I could think about from the time I got out of work was where and how I was going to get high. If I perceived anyone as interfering in my addiction, you weren't my friend."

— Livingston College senior Jass Pelland

cupping herself with drugs.

"I was a drug addict and alcoholic for 17 years," she said. "One drink's too much, and 100 are not enough. I was so busy getting high and I spent time trying to get off drugs."

"It happens gradually. You care more about getting drunk and it kind of sneaks up on you."

"I worked, I married, but my focus was still on getting high."

"All I could think about from the time I got out of work was where and how I was going to get high. If I perceived anyone as interfering in my addiction, you weren't my friend."

"I worked hard. It fed my denial so I was able to stay out of the 'drug addict' category."

Pelland was able to continue working because addiction is a silent disease, she said.

"The disease of addiction is very cunning, baffling and powerful. It creeps up very slowly until you look in the mirror and don't recognize yourself."

"(Drug addicts) function quite well until the end of the addiction. They look sick, they look about 20 years older than they actually are."

Drug abuse can cause permanent mental illness as well as physical illness, Pelland said. "Many of the people I used with, if not dead, don't function well."

Today's "designer drugs" are even more dangerous, she said.

"You don't know what you're getting. Chemists don't care about what they put in them."

"Crack is very quick, very intense, and people use it for hours without stopping. It's

hard on the heart, muscles and brain. There are 21-year-olds having heart attacks."

Pelland married an alcoholic and drug addict who died soon after they were divorced. "I knew that there was something wrong with my life. I had the house and the picket fence, but in the house it was crazy. We would fight, get real possessive of our substance of choice. You're working to look normal. You try to do all the things that look normal."

"He died from alcoholism and drug addiction. We had divorced before that," she said.

Around the same time, Pelland started to look at her life and her drug abuse.

"I began to change my pattern of using — it became less frequent."

"It was really incredible to see. Addiction is pain and loneliness and isolation," she said. "It translates across cultures and languages. We're not so different."

Addicts constantly separate themselves from others, Pelland said. "We're very afraid and very proud and we end up choking on it."

"Addiction is a disease and you get that from drinking or drugging too much, too often. You can't change that. It's not a matter of willpower. Once you become an addict, you have no willpower."

Pelland is now a counselor at an outpatient clinic for drug addicts and alcoholics in Piscataway. She lives on campus among many younger students in the Quads Residence Halls on the Livingston campus.

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## Fights on Livingston end in arrests, injury

By ERIC SCHWARZ  
Assistant News Editor

Two people were arrested in an outbreak of fighting and loud arguing that spanned from 1½ to two hours early Tuesday morning outside a residence hall on Livingston campus.

The incident, which started with five or six people, began at about 2 a.m. outside the Quad Three Residence Hall near House 36. Police and eyewitnesses said they did not know what caused the fight.

At least four RUPD officers responded to a 2:30 a.m. call, according to University spokesperson Pam Orel. When police arrived, about 15 people were in the area and the assault was in progress, she said.

At first, five or six men were beating on one other man, said Chris Swirchak, a College of Engineering sophomore who witnessed the incident from his room in House 39.

"All of a sudden, I'd say there were 20

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### FIGHT

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### Two arrested, several injured in Tuesday fight on Livingston

people there," said Swirchak, who said he saw either a baseball bat or a two-by-four used in the beating. "It

was pretty nasty. I was surprised that it was that vicious."

Orel said police had received reports of some people wielding baseball bats, but none were found at the scene.

Swirchak said: "It was really hard to tell who was beating who. It was just crazy. Even with the cops there, the fighting continued."

Police arrested Livingston College student Ray Gardere, 22, of

Roselle, according to Rutgers University Police Department Lt. Anthony Murphy. Gardere was charged with resisting arrest, simple assault and disorderly conduct.

Darryl Keys, a 19-year-old Edison resident not believed to be a University student, also was arrested for disorderly conduct. Both men were released on their own recognizance and are scheduled to

be tried in Piscataway Municipal Court on Oct. 17.

However, Livingston College Dean of Students George Jones said there may be some confusion over who was arrested in the incident. "I'm trying at this point to determine if it was Ray Gardere or someone with a similar name," he said.

Jones said he received the police report yesterday. "At least in terms

of the student life staff here, this is just day one of the investigation."

Student witnesses said Keys may have been one of the men attacked. "The cop went over to arrest the guy that fell in the bushes," said Swirchak.

Livingston College junior Amy Keach saw the fighting from the House 39 lounge. "It pretty much woke up most of the residents of the quad," she said.

Joe Figueroa, a Livingston College sophomore, said, "After the two kids were arrested, you heard some kids saying, 'This isn't over, this isn't over.'"



# LCGA argues Towers issue

## RC students may move to North and South Towers

By MARK SCOTT  
Targum Correspondent

The Lynton Towers Residence Halls on the Livingston campus may soon become Rutgers College housing again due to a shortage of students who want to live on the campus. Livingston College Governing Association members said at their meeting Monday night.

LCGA President Roger Strong, a junior, said the Livingston College residence halls are operating at 62 percent capacity.



Elissa Klotz/The Daily Targum

**MAINTAINING IDENTITY:** Members of the Livingston College Governing Association discussed Rutgers College's use of the Towers Residence Halls at its meeting Monday.

live off-campus was a lack of student activities available to students.

LCGA member Staci Berger, a senior, said, "There's nowhere to hang out."

LCGA member Peter Valenti, a junior, responded to Berger's comment, "I'm proud of Livingston," Valenti shouted. He was backed by thunderous applause from the other LCGA members.

Strong agreed with Valenti. "If people start complaining (about Livingston), explain to them Livingston is not that bad."

George Jones, Livingston College dean of students, said he was concerned about the number of students who choose to move off-campus. He said he was interested in getting students' opinions on ways to improve on-campus life at Livingston.

"We need to ask students," said

Jones. He added that the results of a spring campus life survey are not yet available.

Jones said the lack of things to do on Livingston is more a matter of perception than reality.

"If you look at Livingston's calendar of events, there's a lot of stuff that goes on," he said. "We have speakers and films and plays."

Other issues discussed at the meeting included the continual blocking of funds by the administration for the United Students of New Jersey. Berger explained that while the money from the University is still on hold, other colleges in the state have been getting money through to USNJ. The New Jersey Institute of Technology, Kean College and Rowan College of New Jersey have been able to vend the \$1-per-student fee to the student lobbying organization.

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"If people start complaining (about Livingston), explain to them that Livingston is not that bad"

—LCGA President  
Roger Strong

Livingston College may lose both the North and South Towers to Rutgers College students "unless we can find a way to increase dorm occupancy," he said.

Many possible solutions were offered for dealing with the lack of Livingston students who decide to live on campus.

One problem discussed was what members called the negative attitude students had about Livingston College compared to other Rutgers colleges.

Another explanation for many Livingston students choosing to



# Disgusted by the Medium, alumnus may pull donations

By ERIC RANSAYAGE  
Targum Correspondent

A University alumnus who has made substantial donations in recent years said in a letter addressed to University President Francis L. Lawrence that was read at last night's Livingston College Governing Association meeting he will stop contributing to the University because of the content of that college's newspaper, The Medium.

LCGA President Roger Strong, a junior, read the letter from Peter Ten Kate, the president of R. A. Hamilton Corp., a contracting firm, which expressed concerns with newspaper.

Ten Kate, who has donated up to \$1.1 million to the University in past years, expressed displeasure with The Medium, and said he could no longer support the college "financially or morally" as an alumnus unless changes occurred at the newspaper.

He wrote that the paper went "beyond the level of free speech."

Some members saw this most recent criticism as the final straw against the Medium, a paper that has come under heated criticism in the past. The LCGA temporarily cut The Medium's funding last year because of an article that some Asian-American students claimed was racist.

"We're dealing with the Livingston newspaper, it's got Livingston written on the front of it," Strong said. "This is one thing that should be improved here. Whether we kill the newspaper or start another one, something should be done to relieve The Medium."

Rep. Bernard Roach, a junior, said: "We have a responsibility to the alumni, too. We have to show them something."

Other members said that no one had the right to say what should or should not be put in the newspaper, especially through threatening to withhold donations from the University.

"If my grandfather, who gives me money sometimes, says we should go back and enslave the Blacks, forget it," said member Peter Valenti, a junior. "I'm here, now at this school. I'm gonna do what I want."

Another member said the newspaper is "a student thing, not an alumni. He shouldn't even have had the paper."

Lawrence referred all comments on the issue to Livingston College Dean Walton Johnson.

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## Medium stirs debate at LCGA meeting

### LCGA FROM 1

Johnson said he could not release a copy of the letter without Lawrence's permission, but he confirmed the existence of the letter. He also refused to confirm that the alumnus was the president of the Hamilton contracting firm.

Johnson described the alum's reaction to the student newspaper as "irate."

He explained his reasons for sending the letter to the LCGA: "My purpose was to make the student government know what people were saying about The Medium — what kind of correspondence we were getting about the (paper)."

Medium editors could not be reached for comment last night.

In other business, LCGA members also criticized the fact that Rutgers still has no blue-light phone security system.

Rep. Staci Berger, a senior, said, "If they can spend a quarter or half a million dollars to prosecute students, they can come up with the money for this (blue-light system)."

Campus security became an issue last September at Livingston when a resident advisor was assaulted in the Quad 2 residence hall.

The members also discussed the impending mediation of a labor dispute between the University and the Rutgers Council of the American Association of University Professors Chapters. They said if upcoming mediation talks are not successful a faculty strike may be imminent.

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# UNIVERSITY

## Livingston to reassert its position in University

By JEFF BAUMAN  
Associate News Editor

Livingston College must take a "new direction" in order to reassert itself within the University community, Livingston Dean Walton Johnson said in an address to a group of about 20 students Tuesday night.

"We are going to reassume our appropriate role as leaders in New Brunswick, as a college that is setting the pace," said Johnson.

"I'm convinced that the very nature of a forward-looking college will carry a stigma with it," he added. "We're not

going to be the most popular college, but we're going to be leading the way."

Johnson, who is a graduate of Livingston College, spoke about the college's history and the role it has assumed in the past.

"I didn't understand why Livingston was getting a bad rap," said Johnson, noting that the college has pioneered numerous programs within the University, including pre-professional courses for undergraduates and majors such as both labor and urban studies.

Livingston was also the first coeducational college in New Brunswick, and instituted the first women's studies

courses in its curriculum.

"We've transformed New Brunswick," he said.

Johnson went on to outline the beliefs that Livingston College has always stood for, noting that such ideals as multiculturalism, diversity and service were "unpopular" in the 1980s and are now seen as very important. He said a new direction is now necessary to "stay ahead" and continue to be

"forward-looking."

To achieve these goals, a "self-study" will be conducted, he said. Administration members, alumni, trustees and faculty are among the groups who will be canvassed for their opinions on

how Livingston College can be improved.

"The most important input we require," said Johnson, "is from students." Surveys in which concerns can be expressed will be mailed to every student's LPO box.

Livingston College Governing Association President Roger Strong, a junior, as a co-sponsor of the discussion held in the lounge of the Quad 3 Residence Hall, will be helping to organize "focus groups" through which students can present various college issues in an open forum.

"We have to get students informed that Livingston College administrators are willing to talk to them," said Strong.



Keith Krebs/The Daily Targum

**WORDS OF ADVICE:** Dean Walton Johnson addresses Livingston College students on their leadership responsibility within the University community on Tuesday night.

Johnson said he knows what it was like to be a young adult in college, but "that doesn't necessarily mean that I know what it's like to be a young adult now."

Frank Gatlin, a residence assistant in Quad 3, another co-sponsor of the event, said, "My idea of Rutgers University as a whole is that they want to manufacture students."

"We, as students, as people and as a nation need an ongoing dialogue so that we can understand and respect one another," he

added.

Johnson discussed a number of topics of concern to many of the students present, including student activism, which he said has always been a "tradition" at the college, and security precautions which need to be taken by students.

"The Quads were designed to facilitate communication and interaction, and now they do that too well," said Johnson of the problem of unauthorized visitors entering too easily.